## **Amendments to the Claims:**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A driving method for an electro-luminescent device which includes, corresponding to an intersection of a scanning line and a data line, a power line, an electro-luminescent element, a driving transistor that controls a current flowing through the electro-luminescent element, the electro-luminescent element emitting light by the current and a switching transistor that controls the driving transistor, the driving method comprising:

a setting step step, performed during a first sub horizontal scanning period of a horizontal scanning period, of supplying a first on-signal to the switching transistor via the scanning line, and of supplying a set signal to select a conducting state or a non-conducting state of the driving transistor to the driving transistor via the data line and the switching transistor in accordance with a period for which the first on-signal is supplied;

a resetting step-step, performed during a second sub horizontal scanning period of the horizontal scanning period, of supplying a second on-signal to the switching transistor via the scanning line, and of supplying a reset signal to select the non-conducting state of the driving transistor to the driving transistor via the data line and the switching transistor in accordance with a period for which the second on-signal is supplied; and supplied,

a horizontal scanning period that includes a first sub horizontal scanning
period to perform the setting step and a second sub horizontal scanning period to perform the
resetting step; wherein the period for which the first on-signal is supplied coincides with a
period for which the set signal is supplied.

## 2. (Canceled)

- 3. (Previously Presented) The driving method for an electro-luminescent device according to claim 1, further including performing the setting step in a first horizontal scanning period, and performing the resetting step in a second horizontal scanning period.
- 4. (Previously Presented) The driving method for an electro-luminescent device according to claim 1, further including obtaining a gray-scale by performing a plurality of set-reset operations, each set-reset operation including the setting step and the resetting step.
- 5. (Previously Presented) The driving method for an electro-luminescent device according to claim 4, further including providing a time interval between the setting step and the resetting step that is different for each of the plurality of set-reset operations.
- 6. (Previously Presented) The driving method for an electro-luminescent device according to claim 4, further including providing the time interval between the setting step and the resetting step for each of the plurality of set-reset operations to be completely different from each other, and the ratio of time intervals for the plurality of set-reset operations being set to be about 1:2: .. :2n (n is an integer of one or more) based on the minimum time interval.
- 7. (Previously Presented) The driving method for an electro-luminescent device according to claim 1, further including providing the set signal to be a signal for setting the conducting state for the driving transistor rather than the signal for selecting the conducting state or the non-conducting state of the driving transistor.
- 8. (Previously Presented) The driving method for an electro-luminescent device according to claim 1, further including driving the electro-luminescent element including an organic electro-luminescence element.
- 9. (Previously Presented) An electro-luminescent device driven by the driving method according to claim 1.

- 10. (Currently Amended) An electro-luminescent device, comprising:
  - a scanning line;
  - a data line;

a power line;

an electro-luminescent element corresponding to an intersection of the scanning line and the data line;

a driving transistor that controls a current flowing through the electroluminescent element, the electro-luminescent element emitting light by the current;

a switching transistor that controls the driving transistor; and

a drive circuit that generates a signal to set the switching transistor to be an onstate or an off-state, and that generates a <u>set</u> signal to set <u>the driving transistor during a first</u>
<u>sub horizontal scanning period of a horizontal scanning period or a reset signal to reset the</u>
driving transistor <u>during a second sub horizontal scanning period of the horizontal scanning</u>
<u>period in accordance with the signal to set the switching transistor to be the on-state or the</u>
<u>off-state; andoff-state,</u>

a horizontal scanning period that includes a first sub horizontal scanning period to perform the setting step and a second sub horizontal scanning period to perform the resetting step; wherein the drive circuit is configured to supply a period for which a first onsignal is supplied to the switching transistor during a period that coincides with a period for which the set signal is supplied.

- 11. (Currently Amended) An electro-luminescent device, comprising:
  - a scanning line;
  - a data line;
  - a power line;

an electro-luminescent element corresponding to an intersection at the scanning line and the data line;

a driving transistor that controls a current flowing through the electroluminescent element, the electro-luminescent element emitting light by the current;

a switching transistor that controls the driving transistor;

a scanning line driver that supplies a signal to set the switching transistor to be an on-state or an on-state of the scanning line; and

a data line driver that supplies a <u>set</u> signal to set <u>the driving transistor during a</u>

<u>first sub horizontal scanning period of a horizontal scanning period or a reset signal to reset</u>

the driving transistor <u>during a second sub horizontal scanning period of the horizontal</u>

<u>scanning period</u> to the data line in accordance with an operation of the scanning line

<u>driver;driver,</u>

wherein the data line driver is configured to supply a period of supplying the reset signal to reset the driving transistor via the data line within a vertical scanning period being during a period that is substantially constant, and

a horizontal scanning period that includes a first sub horizontal scanning period to perform the setting step and a second sub horizontal scanning period to perform the resetting step; wherein the scanning line driver is configured to supply a period for which a first on-signal is supplied to the switching transistor during a period that coincides with a period for which the set signal is supplied.

12. (Currently Amended) An electro-luminescent device, comprising:

a scanning line;

a data line;

a power line;

an electro-luminescent element corresponding to an intersection of the scanning line and the data line;

a driving transistor that controls a current flowing through the electroluminescent element, the electro-luminescent element emitting light by the current; and
a switching transistor that controls the driving transistor, an on-signal to
perform a setting step of setting the electro-luminescent element during a first sub horizontal
scanning period of a horizontal scanning period and a resetting step of resetting the electroluminescent element during a second sub horizontal scanning period of the horizontal
scanning period being supplied to the switching transistor via the scanning line; line,

a horizontal scanning period that includes a first sub horizontal scanning period to perform the setting step and a second sub horizontal scanning period to perform the resetting step; and

wherein a the number of the signal to perform the setting step and a number of the signal to perform the resetting step being are substantially the same; whereinsame, and the switching transistor is configured to supply a period for which a first on-signal is supplied to the switching transistor during a period that coincides with a period for which the set signal is supplied.

- 13. (Previously Presented) The electro-luminescent device according to claim 10, the electro-luminescent element including an organic electro-luminescence element.
  - 14. (Previously Presented) An electronic apparatus, comprising: the electro-luminescent device set forth in claim 9.
- 15. (Currently Amended) A driving method for an electro-luminescent device which includes, corresponding to an intersection of a scanning line and a data line, an electro-luminescent element, a driving transistor that controls a current flowing through the electro-

luminescent element, the electro-luminescent element emitting light by the current and a switching transistor that controls the driving transistor, the driving method comprising:

a setting step step, performed during a first sub horizontal scanning period of a horizontal scanning period, of supplying a first on-signal to the switching transistor via the scanning line, and of supplying a set signal to select a conducting state or a non-conducting state of the driving transistor to the driving transistor via the data line and the switching transistor in accordance with a period for which the first on-signal is supplied; and

a resetting step-step, performed during a second sub horizontal scanning period of the horizontal scanning period, of supplying a second on-signal to the switching transistor via the scanning line, and of supplying a reset signal to select the non-conducting state of the driving transistor to the driving transistor via the data line and the switching transistor in accordance with a period for which the second on-signal is supplied, the setting step and the resetting step forming a set-reset operation; operation,

wherein a plurality of the set-reset operation being operations are performed within one frame period, at least two set-reset operations of the plurality of the set-reset operation having mutually different time lengths; lengths and

a horizontal scanning period that includes a first sub horizontal scanning period to perform the setting step and a second sub horizontal scanning period to perform the resetting step; wherein the period for which the first on-signal is supplied coincides with a period for which the set signal is supplied.

- 16. (Currently Amended) An electro-luminescent device, comprising:
  - a scanning line;
  - a data line;
  - a power line;

an electro-luminescent element corresponding to an intersection of the scanning line and the data line;

a driving transistor that controls a current flowing through the electroluminescent element, the electro-luminescent element emitting light by the eurrent, current;

a switching transistor that controls the driving transistor, transistor; and

a drive circuit that generates an on-signal to perform a setting step of setting
the electro-luminescent element during a first sub horizontal scanning period of a horizontal
scanning period and a resetting step of resetting the electro-luminescent element during a
second sub horizontal scanning period of the horizontal scanning period being supplied to the
switching transistor via the scanning line; line,

a horizontal scanning period that includes a first sub horizontal scanning period to perform the setting step and a second sub horizontal scanning period to perform the resetting step; and

wherein a plurality of the pairs of the setting step and the resetting step being are performed within one frame period; period, and

wherein a period for which a first on-signal is supplied to the switching transistor coincides with a period for which the a set signal is supplied.